

# 6 - Puppe Sequences - fibrations

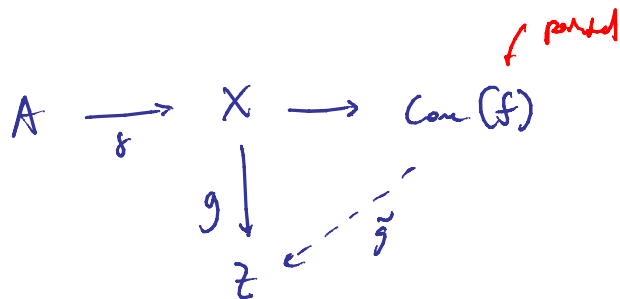
Note Title

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Cofiber sequence

$A \xrightarrow{f} X$  map of unpointed spaces

$Z \in \text{Top}_*$



lem

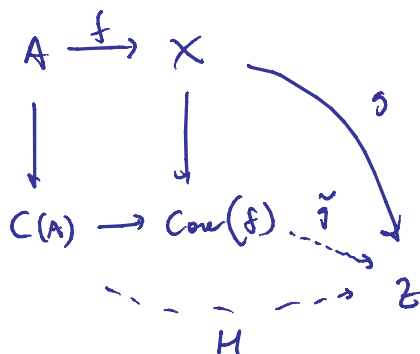
there is a bijective correspondence

{ pointed factorizations  $\tilde{g}$  }



{ null homotopies  $gf \simeq *$  }

(ps)



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Cor:

$$A \xrightarrow{f} X \rightarrow \text{Core}(f), \quad z \in \text{Im}_*$$

induces an exact sequence of pointed sets

$$[\text{Core}(f), z]_* \longrightarrow [X, z] \xrightarrow{f^*} [A, z]$$

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Similarly

$A, X \in \text{Top}_*$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & X & \longrightarrow & C(f) \\ & & g \downarrow & \swarrow & \uparrow \\ & & z & \hookrightarrow & z \end{array}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{factorization} \\ \tilde{f} \end{array} \right\} \longleftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{(pointed) well known} \\ gf = * \end{array} \right\}$$

exact sequence

$$[C(f), z]_* \longrightarrow [X, z]_* \longrightarrow [A, z]_*$$

Continuing the cofiber sequence!

$$A \xrightarrow{f} X \xrightarrow{j} C(f) \xrightarrow{j} C(i) \xrightarrow{\quad} C(j)$$

$A$  well pointed       $X$  well pointed  
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 ↓ pointed h.e.      ↓ pointed h.e.

“composite of pushouts is a pushout”

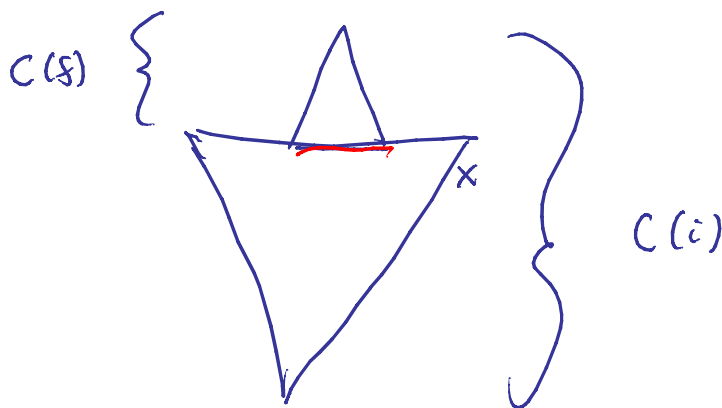
$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 C(f) & & C(i) \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 C(f)/X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C(i)/C(f) \\
 \cong & & \cong \\
 \Sigma A & \xrightarrow{-\Sigma f} & \Sigma X
 \end{array}$$

$$A \rightarrow X \rightarrow *$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A \rightarrow X \rightarrow * \\
 \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\
 A \wedge I \rightarrow C(f) \rightarrow C(f)/X \approx A \wedge I/A \approx \Sigma A
 \end{array}$$

this implies this map is a cofibration

$A$  well pointed  
 $\Rightarrow$  this map is a cofibration



Aside  $[X, Z]_* \in \text{Set}_*$

$$[\Sigma X, Z]_* \cong [S^1, \underline{\text{Map}}_*(X, Z)]$$

$$\pi_1 \underline{\text{Map}}_*(X, Z) \in \text{gp}$$

$$[\Sigma^2 X, Z]_* \cong \pi_2 \underline{\text{Map}}_*(X, Z) \in \text{Ab}$$

-  $\Sigma f$  means (1)  $\Sigma A \rightarrow \Sigma X$   
 $\theta \cdot a \mapsto (1-\theta) \cdot f(a)$

(2) invariance w.r.t  
gp structure

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Keep going  $C(\Sigma f) \cong \Sigma C(f)$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & X & \xrightarrow{i} & C(f) & \xrightarrow{j} & \Sigma A & \xrightarrow{-f} & \Sigma X & \xrightarrow{-i} & \Sigma C(f) \\ & & & & & & & & & & \downarrow \cong \\ & & & & & & \Sigma^2 A & \xrightarrow{f} & \Sigma^2 X & \xrightarrow{i} & \Sigma^2 C(f) \end{array}$$

each consecutive pair of maps is  
 part of a cofiber sequence

Consequence:

$$\begin{array}{c}
 [X/A, z]_* \\
 \parallel \\
 [A, z]_* \leftarrow [X, z]_* \leftarrow [C(f), z]_* \\
 \parallel \qquad \qquad \qquad \parallel \\
 [\Sigma A, z]_* \leftarrow [\Sigma X, z]_* \leftarrow [\Sigma C(f), z]_* \\
 \parallel \qquad \qquad \qquad \parallel \\
 [\Sigma^2 A, z]_* \leftarrow \dots
 \end{array}$$

If  $A \rightarrow X$  is a cofiber  
 $[\Sigma^2 X/A, z]_*$

exact sequence of pointed sets, grps ...

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Remark: we will show

$$K(\pi, n) \leftarrow \pi_* K(\pi, n) = \begin{cases} \pi, & n=k \\ 0, & n \neq k \end{cases}$$

$$[z, K(\pi, n)] \cong H^n(z; \pi)$$

$$[z, K(\pi, n)]_* \cong \tilde{H}^n(z; \pi)$$

Thus if  $A, X \in \text{Top}_*^{wp}$

get:

$$\tilde{H}^n(A) \leftarrow \tilde{H}^n(X) \leftarrow \underset{H^?}{\tilde{H}^n(C\mathcal{G})} \leftarrow \underset{H^?}{\tilde{H}^n(\Sigma A)} \leftarrow \dots$$

$$H^n(X, A) \qquad \tilde{H}^{n-1}(A)$$

LES of a pair...

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Dual theory: fibrations

Def:  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  in  $\text{Top}$  is a fibration

if  $\forall X$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times \{0\} & \xrightarrow{\tilde{f}} & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow \exists \tilde{H} & \downarrow p \\ X \times I & \xrightarrow{H} & B \end{array} \quad \text{HLP}$$

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$$f, g : X \rightarrow B$$

$$H : f \simeq g$$

$$\text{ad } \tilde{f} : X \rightarrow E \text{ is a lift}$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists \text{ lift of } g, \text{ lift of } f$$

$$\tilde{H} : \tilde{f} = \tilde{g}$$

Check: locally trivial bundles are fibrations.

e.g. covering spaces, principal fiber bundles, etc.

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Is  $\emptyset \rightarrow B$  a fibration?

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Fibrations are not surjective, but are surjective on path components.

use  $X = *$

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If  $\pi$  is a fib, fibrations are closed under composition, closed under pullback.

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lem  $E \rightarrow *$  is a fibration

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times Y & \longrightarrow & Y \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \longrightarrow & * \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$X \times Y \rightarrow X$   
is a fibration

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# Homotopy fiber

$$X \xrightarrow{f} Y \quad \cong \quad \text{map} \quad \text{in } \text{Top}_*$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 F(f) & \longrightarrow & X \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \text{Map}_*(I, Y) & \xrightarrow{\text{ev}_1} & Y
 \end{array}$$

$F(f) = \text{hom fiber}$

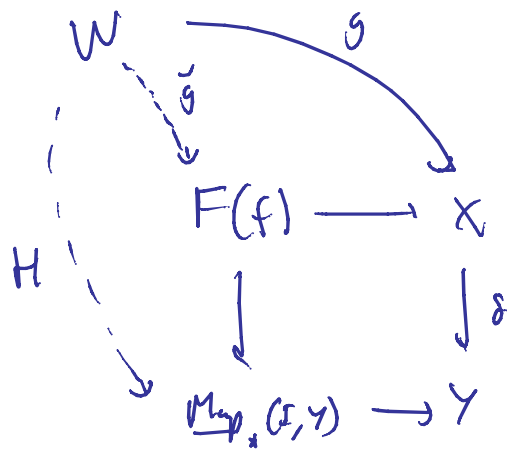
lem

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & W & & \\
 & \swarrow \tilde{g} & \downarrow g & & \\
 F(f) & \longrightarrow & X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y
 \end{array}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{pointed} \\ \wedge \text{ null homotopy} \end{array} \quad fg \cong * \right\}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{pointed} \\ \wedge \text{ lifts} \end{array} \quad \tilde{g} \right\}$$



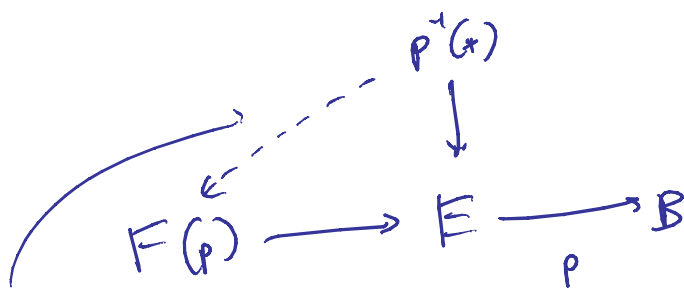


Consequence!

$$[W, F(f)]_{(*)} \rightarrow [W, X]_{(*)} \rightarrow [W, Y]_{(*)}$$

is an exact sequence of pointed sets.

Relationship to fibr!



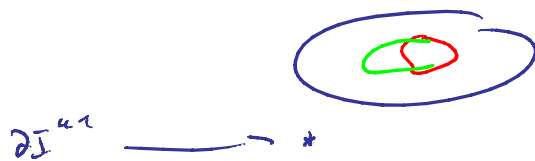
lem!  $p$  fibrant  $\Rightarrow$  this map is a (pointed) h.e.

(homework)

lem:  $i: A \hookrightarrow X$

$$\pi_k(X, A) \cong \pi_{k-1}(F(i))$$

$$F(i) \hookrightarrow \underline{Map}(I, X) \times A$$

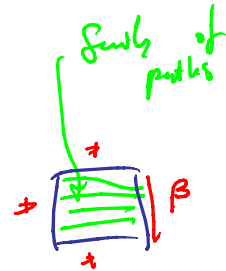


$$I^{k-1} \longrightarrow F(i)$$



$$I^{k-1} \xrightarrow{\beta} A$$

s.t.



$$I^{k-1} \times I \xrightarrow{\alpha} X$$

# Fiber sequence

$$X \xrightarrow{f} Y$$

get

$$F(z) \longrightarrow F(p) \xrightarrow{z} F(f) \xrightarrow{p} X \xrightarrow{f} Y$$

$\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$

$$\Omega X \longrightarrow \Omega Y$$

$\downarrow \Omega f$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \Omega Y & \longrightarrow & * \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 F(f) & \longrightarrow & X \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \text{Map}_*(I, Y) & \longrightarrow & Y \\
 & \nearrow \text{ev}_1 & \\
 & \text{fiber} & 
 \end{array}$$

*f fiber*  
*fiber*

Here we are using

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 [z, \Omega w] & \xrightarrow{\text{with gp}} & \\
 \downarrow & & \\
 [z, \Omega^2 w] & & 
 \end{array}$$

is a gp

Consequence

$$X \xrightarrow{f} Y$$

or map

get LES:

$$\dots \rightarrow \pi_{n+1}(Y) \rightarrow \pi_n(f(\cdot)) \leftarrow \pi_n(X) \rightarrow \pi_n(Y) \rightarrow \dots$$

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$\pi_n(f^{-1}(\cdot))$ , if  $f$  is a fibration

$\pi_{n+1}(Y, X)$ , if  $f$  is an inclusion of a subspace

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